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HEARING NOTICE

TO: Members of the Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change

FROM: Paul Tonko, Chairman

SUBJECT: Subcommittee Hearing on "The CLEAN Future Act and Environmental

Justice: Protecting Frontline Communities"

The Subcommittee on Environment and Climate Change of the Committee on Energy and Commerce will hold a virtual, fully remote hearing on **Thursday**, **April 15**, **2021**, **at 10:30 a.m.** (**EDT**). The hearing is entitled, "The CLEAN Future Act and Environmental Justice: Protecting Frontline Communities." Witnesses will be by invitation only.

This is a legislative hearing that will focus on the following attached bills:

- **H.R. 1512**, the "Climate Leadership and Environmental Action for our Nation's Future Act" or the "CLEAN Future Act" (*Reps. Pallone (D-NJ), Tonko (D-NY), and Rush (D-IL) on 03/02/2021)*
- H.R. 501, the "Climate Smart Ports Act" (Rep. Barragán (D-CA) on 01/28/2021)
- **H.R. 516**, the "Environmental Justice Mapping and Data Collection Act of 2021" (*Rep. Bush* (*D-MO*) on 01/28/2021)
- **H.R. 861**, the "Alerting Localities of Environmental Risks and Threats Act of 2021" (*Rep. Blunt Rochester (D-DE) on 02/05/2021)*
- **H.R. 862**, the "Climate Action Planning for Ports Act of 2021" (*Rep. Blunt Rochester on 02/05/2021*)
- **H.R. 2021**, the "Environmental Justice for All Act" (*Rep. Grijalva (D-AZ) on 03/18/2021*)
- **H.R.** _____, the "Climate Justice Act of 2021" (*Rep. Clarke (D-NY) on 04/08/2021*)
- **H.R.** _____, the "Ensuring Safe Disposal of Coal Ash Act" (*Rep. Cohen (D-TN) on 04/08/2021)*
- **H.R.** _____, the "Voices for Environmental Justice Act" (*Rep. Ruiz* (*D-CA*) on 04/08/2021)
- **H.R.** _____, the "Environmental Justice Act of 2021" (*Rep. Ruiz on 04/08/2021*)
- **H.R.** _____, the "Protection from Cumulative Emissions and Underenforcement of Environmental Law Act of 2021" (*Rep. DeGette on 04/08/2021*)

This hearing will be held using Cisco WebEx online video conferencing. Members will receive WebEx participant access information by email before the hearing. One staffer from each member's office may join this remote hearing as an attendee. Each designated staff attendee must **register** at the provided link **by no later than Wednesday, April 14, 2021, at 12 p.m. (EDT)**. The public may view this hearing via live webcast on the Committee's website: http://energycommerce.house.gov.

The bipartisan staff briefing for this hearing will be held using Microsoft Teams on Monday, April 12, 2021, at 2:30 p.m. (EDT). The Democratic staff briefing will be held immediately following the bipartisan briefing. The Republican staff briefing will be announced separately. Information for these briefings will be sent out later this week.

If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca Tomilchik with the Committee staff rebecca.tomilchik@mail.house.gov.

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